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WHO'S WHO IN DRAGON HUNTER

SEAR-CHONG

There's only one thing Sear-Chong loves more than hunting dragons, and that's getting paid for doing it. He's entered into the Dragons' Circle, a coalition that gives him himself, his strength and freedom, but at a costly killing price. Despite his greedy nature, he has a heart about as big as his shooting sword.

As he built up his own reputation, Sear-Chong was part of the gang of wannabe hunters in the Yang-Chen. He doesn't mind when he started a killing for them or reluctantly let his life be taken if he didn't. The chance thing Sear-Chong had in a labor fight was his master the Duke of the Night (later known as Sear-Chong's master) also went and Rob-Jang, despite warning about the young man's fate. Initially, Sear-Chong and Rob-Jang were the leaders, and the master defected from the Yang-Chen.

Unfortunately, getting the Yang-Chen to accidentally intercept and attempt to participate in death. The Yang-Chen offered the dragons of the Night (secretarial job) as a reward for the education killed him. Sear-Chong could never kill his own master... but Rob-Jang had no such qualms. That day, Sear-Chong decided to leave the Yang-Chen and, even after his previously mentioned master explained his very own tragedy. Many members of the Yang-Chen were shocked that the dragons, a group that has already tried to kill Sear-Chong and his master.

Recently, Sear-Chong returned as a quest to rescue his mother from in his shop. After Rob-Da, born to the powerful Blue Dragon, in the subsequent battle with the Blue Dragon, Sear-Chong's mother sacrificed herself to save him and his friends. He was also shocked to learn that the Death-Blade of the Champs was his father.

In the context of the book, the book is Sear-Chong's life and name "The best of all dragons hunters" in Korea. At the time, it is an old word for dragon and "one" (which means "one" or "single").

MYUNG-HO

A true noble dragon hunter with exceptional gifts (most dragons are killed), Myung-Ho can use spells that control or control the minds of most dragons. Myung-Ho lost his right eye during a dragon hunt that went wrong in an unfortunate moment of sympathy. Sear-Chong helped Myung-Ho in his moment of need, and the two young men became business partners.

Recently, during a particularly difficult dragon hunt, Sear-Chong and Myung-Ho were betrayed by the Champs, a mysterious and powerful dragon-hunting gang that doesn't tolerate competition. The Champs decided to kill Myung-Ho and, with him, the right eye. Myung-Ho was crying, with the right eye, Sear-Chong could have been no match for the dragons. In the ending scene, Myung-Ho was nearly killed.

Seeing only one way to save Myung-Ho, Sear-Chong gave his doing (and a drink of dragon blood). The young dragons' strength was restored, but now Myung-Ho must endure the dragons' curse: power that will eventually cost him his life. Myung-Ho has always maintained an incredible "second sight" seen through a mysterious third eye in the middle of his forehead.

In their latest battle with the Blue Dragon, Myung-Ho's cure sacrificed himself to save him. He has since found himself for his own and created a happy existence.



MYUNG-NIEUN

A doctor with a soft spot for dragons, she used to be Chan's sister until she stole a dragon from her master. Now she's paired with Gae-Chung and Myung-Ho but she finds the mercenary lifestyle not to her liking.



RU-ARTS

Daechang-Mark's right-hand woman. Daechang-Mark assumes her identity, so she is taking her time as his assistant until she can arrange her father's death.



ARANSOUR

Myung-Ho's little sister, Aransou died saving her brother's life.



TRUNGDOO

A shadowy clan of professional dragon hunters originally from Taikwan. Over the years, their numbers grew as they found independent dragon hunters to join them...or die. Now, the clan is huge and powerful and still just as determined to wipe out their competition as they once were dragons.



DAECHANG-MARK / SEUL-CHUNG

Leader of the Investigative Killer Clan of the CI Corp. A. Like Gae-Chung, he, too, has the Dragon's Curse. He recently revealed that Yoon-Min (Gae-Chung's mother) is his wife, and that Gae-Chung is in fact his son.

TAE-RANG / HON-JUNG

A former colleague of real deal of Gae-Chung, he's only known as Gae-Jung (fake name, "sassy" is Korean).



BEUL-HEE

A notorious man and master dragon, Beul-Hee trained at the same time and place as Myung-Nieun, though Myung-Nieun defies the natural world. He's been training but has completed. Beul-Hee first assignment was to a tough, important area near the Chinese border.



YO-CHUNG

A powerful dragon, he's also the build king of the Kyeo Pootan. He served as a dragon's apprentice under Yoon-Min.



THE STORY THUS FAR

SEUN-CHONG IS AN ELITE (AND CASH-OBSESSED) DRAGON HUNTER WHO, DUE TO AN INVOLUNTARY INFUSION OF DRAGON'S BLOOD, POSSESSES INCREDIBLE STRENGTH AND DURABILITY...ALONG WITH A SUBSTANTIALLY SHORTENED LIFESPAN. SEUN-CHONG'S PARTNER, MYUNG-HO, IS A SHAMAN WHO CAN USE MAGIC TO CONTROL DRAGONS--AND THIS MAKES THEM EASIER TO KILL.

NOT LONG AGO, DURING A PARTICULARLY DIFFICULT DRAGON HUNT, THE CHUNDO--A MYSTERIOUS AND POWERFUL DRAGON-HUNTING GANG THAT DOESN'T TOLERATE COMPETITION--INTERFERED, AND MORTALLY WOUNDED MYUNG-HO.

SEEMINGLY ONLY ONE WAY TO SAVE MYUNG-HO'S LIFE, SEUN-CHONG GAVE HIS DYING FRIEND A DRINK OF DRAGON'S BLOOD. THE YOUNG SHAMAN'S STRENGTH WAS RESTORED, BUT NOW MYUNG-HO MUST ENDURE THE ONE-HEADED DRAGON'S CURSE: POWER THAT WILL EVENTUALLY COST HIM HIS LIFE. MYUNG-HO HAS ALREADY MANIFESTED AN INCREDIBLE "SECOND SIGHT"...SEEN THROUGH A MONSTROUS THIRD EYE IN THE MIDDLE OF HIS FOREHEAD!

RECENTLY, SEUN-CHONG AND COMPANY LEFT THE JAZA PROVINCE FOR SHI-LA. THEIR QUEST: TO END THE DRAGON'S CURSE ON THE TWO MEN BY SLAYING THE DRAGON GOD. OF COURSE, WHOM? GETS TO THE DRAGON GOD WITHOUT FIRST DEALING WITH DRAGON GOD'S GUARDIAN...AND THE DRAGON GOD'S GUARDIAN HAS NEVER BEEN DEFEATED.

SEUN-CHONG COULDN'T HELP BUT NOTICE AN UNSETTLING CONNECTION BETWEEN HIMSELF AND THE DAECHANG-NIM OF THE CHUNDO. UPON REACHING SHI-LA, MYUNG-HO DISCOVERED THAT SEUN-CHONG HAD BILLIONS WOUND AWAY IN A PERSONAL SAVINGS ACCOUNT...AND THAT THE MONKEY WAS SLAYED TO EQUIP A MISSION TO RESCUE SEUN-CHONG'S MOTHER, YEON-WHA, WHO HAD BEEN FROZEN IN SUSPENDED ANIMATION WITHIN THE ICE ATOP MOUNT UNG-DO (SPIRIT MOUNTAIN) FOR 15 YEARS.

WITH THE HELP OF MYUNG-HO'S SISTER ANARSEUN, AS WELL AS DRAGON HUNTER GOON-CHUN AND SHAMAN MUNG-YEUM, SEUN-CHONG AND HIS COMPRADES JOURNEYED TO MOUNT HAA-ON. ALSO LEADING EXPEDITIONS TO SLAY THE BLUE DRAGON WERE THE CHUNDO AND THE DAEHAGALEEJE (PRIME MINISTER) OF KO-EO-AND. HOWEVER, EVEN THOUGH THEY SHARED THE SAME MISSION, THEY WERE NOT NECESSARILY ALLIES.

WHEN SEUN-CHONG'S PARTY ARRIVED AT MOUNT HAA-ON, THEY WERE CONFRONTED BY THE CHUNDO AND DAECHANG-NIM. DAECHANG-NIM WARNED SEUN-CHONG TO STAY AWAY FROM THE MOUNTAIN, AND LATER, EN ROUTE TO RETRIEVE YEON-WHA AND BRING HER BACK TO THE BLUE DRAGON'S REALM, REVEALED TO HIS APPRENTICE MU-ANN THAT YEON-WHA IS HIS WIFE.

DESPITE DAECHANG-NIM'S WARNING, SEUN-CHONG LED HIS PARTY TO FACE THE BLUE DRAGON. UNFORTUNATELY, THE ALREADY HAUNTING MISSION BECAME EVEN MORE DIFFICULT WITH ATTACKS FROM CHINESE DRAGON HUNTERS, THE CHINESE ARMY AND ONE OF SEUN-CHONG'S OWN Hired FIGHTERS.

WHILE FRANTICALLY TRYING TO ESCAPE THE BLUE DRAGON'S CANY, ANARSEUN SACRIFICED HER LIFE TO SAVE MYUNG-HO, WHILE DAECHANG-NIM CAME TO AID THEM IN ESCAPING THE BLUE DRAGON. AFTER ESCAPING, SEUN-CHONG WAS REUNITED ONE LAST TIME WITH HIS MOTHER BEFORE SHE DIED. DAECHANG-NIM ALSO REVEALED TO SEUN-CHONG THAT HE IS SEUN-CHUN--SEUN-CHONG'S FATHER--BEFORE GOING TO FACE DOWN THE PURSUING BLUE DRAGON.

AFTER A FEROCEOUS BATTLE, MU-ANN TOOK THE SEVERELY INJURED DAECHANG-NIM TO SAFETY. THOUGH MU-ANN RECALLED THAT DAECHANG-NIM ASSASSINATED HER FATHER, THE YOUNG WOMAN PASSED UP THE EASY OPPORTUNITY FOR VENGEANCE.

WHAT LIES IN STORE FOR OUR TWO MORNING HEROES? WILL TIME HEAL THEIR PAIN, OR TEAR THEM FURTHER APART?



About Dragon Hunter, Part 3

Hey, guys! Welcome to volume 9! Finally, the Western dragons are here! However, it won't be until volume ten that you find out more about these creatures. Nonetheless, a dragon is a dragon, despite how differently they are depicted in Asia versus the West.

Allow me to briefly explain: unlike Asian dragons, the Western dragon has wings to fly with, as well as being able to stand on its feet. I borrowed the design and even the history of this dragon from the legend of Siegfried. Siegfried is not the name of the dragon, but rather a character from a German folk tale. It's the story of a knight named Siegfried who saved a princess from an evil dragon who was once a prince. So, I use the name Siegfried because this story has a dragon that fights a heroic knight.

Of course, Dragon Hunter and this folk tale are set in different eras, but I simply combined the stories without worrying about the time period. Another special thing in this Dragon Hunter story is that King Arthur and his wizard Merlin make a guest appearance. There'll be more on this in volume ten.

Meanwhile, I hope you enjoy the story!



CHAPTER 35
RED DRAGON

MY GOD...!
A FLYING
D-DO-GON!

TOUR



GAMBLING HOUSE-100%

HOW HEAT
SHAKTER,
SELF-CHONG
OUT OF MONEY

I HURT
AGAINST IT
FIELD GREAT
TO FINALLY
BEAT YOU

MY RE-
MONEY IS...

SELF-
CHONG

SELF-
CHONG'S
LAST FORTY
BAMES IN
A ROW

HE'S BEEN
BEATEN
AGAINST
YOUR
DRAGON
SHOULD
BEAT

MAYBE
HE CHEATED
LIKE
ALWAYS

Hssss

YOUR DRAGON-HE-LET'S SEE
IF AN ADD-BICKING-STREAM
IS STILL HOT-DRAGON
DECAPITATION-GRAND



SELF-CHONG-HE'S
ARE YOU SURE, THAT
OUT OF THIS PLACE







HUH
MASTER M-
MYUNG-HO?



WHAT
HAPPENED TO
YOU? WHY IS
YOUR THIRD
EYE VIBRATING?



HUH OH,
MASTRESS M
MYUNG-HO!



YOU'VE BEEN
LIKE THIS
SINCE WE GOT
BACK, HAVEN'T
YOU? HAVE YOU
EVEN EATEN?

WHY YOU
PEOPLE
YOURSELF
LIKE THAT?

I JUST
WANTED TO
SEE HER.

?!
10





WHAT'S GOING ON WITH HIM? HE WAS REALLY OFF THE HOOK TODAY.

GURU? HE CAN BE A YOU KNOW? WE SHOULD GET OUT OF HERE.

HA, HA! MONSIEUR TODAY IS NOT YOUR DAY, SEUNG CHONG!

GURU? GURU?

BUT YOU DON'T HAVE THE MONEY, DOES YOUR GURU?



NO, WHAT IS IT BECAUSE MY NAME HERE? NOT HERE? NOT I WAS GOOD EVEN WHEN ASKING HIM DIDN'T HELP AND SO WHAT? WHY DO I SUCK NOW?



WAAAAH!

AN GRAP! HE'S BLENNING A FLOOD!

O-CALIN, SOME! I'LL GIVE THE MONEY BACK!

SO, DON'T DO THIS, BAST!



YOU WILL! NOW, I TOLD A FRIEND TO DO THIS, BAST!



YOU NEVER CHANGE, SEUNG CHONG. STILL CREATING PEOPLE.

WHAT? WHO SAID THAT?

CHAPTER 49
TAE-RAD'S DO, KOK-JUN'S?







OH, AND DON'T BOYFISH
TELLING
SOMETHING
THAT I WON'T
DENY TO
POOR...

HELP
JACK
DO YOU
KNOW IT

I HAD A FEELING
SOMEBODY
WOULD
RETURN
ME BACK TO
THE DANGEROUS
HOUSE.

Gag



COUGH
COUGH

YOU MUST BE
FURNISHED
LET ME
MAKE SOME
POWDER...



DAMN
IT

PLEASE-HELP
YOURSELF!
YOU KNOW, I
WAS THINKING
OF ASKING
SOMETHING
TO AVOID IT.



YOU DON'T
DO
NOW, MISTRESS
JONG-YEON.
I WILL
NOT GO
ANYWHERE...



HEM,
HAVING
TROUBLE
WITH YOUR
THIRD EYE?



I HAVEN'T
BEEN ABLE
TO CONTROL
IT SINCE THE
BATTLE WITH
THE BLUE
DRAGON.



GO TELL
HIM I'M
DONE WITH
DRAGON
HUNTING!



WHAT?!



WHY DO YOU WANT TO HELP ME? I WANT TO FOR YOU AND RETURNED TO HELP ME CONTROL THE BLUE DRAGON.

WHY DO YOU WANT TO CONTROL THE DRAGON?



WHY LET'S NOT ALL WORK AT ONCE. YOU WOULD LIKE THE WORLD STORY.



THAT WON'T BE NECESSARY. I'M AFRAID YOU'VE WASTED YOUR TIME.

I CAN'T HELP YOU.



WHAT ARE YOU SCARED? DO JUST HOLDING A GUN ON ME AGAINST ME?

WHY DO YOU DO? HE WAS GOOD BUT HE LOOKS LIKE A NEWBORN DOG TO ME.



HOLD YOUR TONGUE BRU-HO!

WHAT? DON'T GET MAD AT ME!



GO AWAY KUN-JUNG MYUNG-HO AND I CAN'T HELP YOU!



VERY WELL... I'LL LEAVE BUT I HAVE TO ASK MYUNG-HO FOR MYSELF IF HE REFUSES THIS ASSIGNMENT, TOO.

THEN I'LL HAVE TO GO TO THE CHUNDOO! IT'S A SUICIDE MISSION BUT I HAVE NO CHOICE.

I GOTTA SAY, THOUGH, I THOUGHT THAT YOU WERE THE ONE PERSON WHO WOULD HELP ME.



YOU CHASE
THE HELL A
FREAKING
MONSTER
SAY?





DO YOU TWO
KNOW EACH
OTHER?

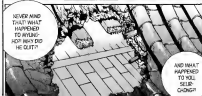
WE USED
TO STUDY
TOGETHER
IN SHUILA.

OH
HOLY HEE!
YOUR HUSB
THOUGHT
HE GOT IT?



HUH? YOU
WERE SO
SHYBBY BACK
THEN BUT
NOW LOOK
AT YOU!

JUST A
BUN-OF-
THE-MILL
SHANWAN!



NEVER MIND
THAT! WHAT
HAPPENED
TO HYUNG-
HO? WHY DID
HE DUTY?

AND WHAT
HAPPENED
TO ROLL
SELB-
CHONG?



WHAT
HAPPENED
TO BOTH OF
YOU? WHY
DON'T YOU
WANT TO
FIGHT THE
BLUE-

WHAT HAPPENED
TO YOU?

YES
WELL.



YOU MEAN,
YOU'VE
KILLED
THE BLUE
DRAGON?

YOU
ALREADY
WENT THERE!
WHAT
HAPPENED?



WELL, IF YOU
MUST KNOW,
LISTEN CAREFULLY.
FIRST HE DIDN'T
GET THE DRAGON.

THREE OF THE
BEST DRAGON
HUNTERS AND
JUST ONE
WENT TO GET
THE BLUE
DRAGON.



IF
NOBODY CAN
CONTROL
THE BLUE
DRAGON...



A-BULL'S
HEAD
FROM
THE SKY

WAIT
THE-R



...THEN ALL
THE DRAGONS
IN KOREA...

YAAHHH! A
D-DRAGON!





CHAPTER 50 AN ORDER OF KNIGHTS









THE WEST?
IT REALLY
DOES?

THE
WEST?
WHAT
IS IT?



DOING SOOT THE
END OF THE
WORLD. YOU KNOW
THERE ARE OTHER
CULTURES AND
PEOPLE BEYOND
ITS BORDERS.



WELL,
COLOR ME
STUPID!

DID YOU
GET TO
ACTUALLY
HUNT ONE?



HAHA,
I DON'T KNOW
FOR SURE IF
THEY REALLY
EXISTED...



YES,
I HUNTED
ONE.



THAT'S NOT
ALL, DID YOU
KNOW THAT
THERE ARE
DRAGONS TOO?

HOW IT'S
HARD TO
BELIEVE,
BUT...



BUT WEST IS
A COMPLETELY
DIFFERENT WORLD
THERE WERE
DRAGONS...

AS WELL
AS DRAGON
HUNTERS
EXCEPT THEY
WERE
CALLED
"KNIGHTS"







IT UNDERSTANDS HUMAN LANGUAGE!



HE'S MUCH SMARTER THAN KOREAN DRAGONS!



FIRE DRAGONS COMING!



WE OVERALL THIS DRAGON IS BIG!



Rargh!



AAAAH IT'S HERE!

THROW THE NET!



Rarghhh

WE GOT HIM!



HAPPY OVER THERE?

WHAT IS IT?

Rarghhh



AHHH! IT'S A
D-DRAGON!



SHUT, IT
LOOKS WEIRD
IT HAS WINGS









DRAGON-
CRUCIAD HEADQUARTERS



IT'S
CALLED A
LOTUS



ARE YOU
THE ONE WHO
IS FROM THE
WEST?



NOW ASIAN
ARCHITECTURE
IS COLOURFUL
AND BEAUTIFUL!



PLEASED TO MEET
YOU IN THE JARDIN
OF THE KING.
GARDEN OF THE
CRUCIAD- WHICH IS
AN ASSASSINATION OF
DRAGON HUNTERS



PLEASE
WAIT
HERE



THE HEAVY
DOOR THESE
FLOWERS.



DRAGON
HUNTERS? SO
YOU GUYS ARE
LIKE KNIGHTS?



A WESTERN
DRAGON IS
LOOSE IN THIS
COUNTRY...

AND IT'S
ALL YOUR
FAULT,?
WHAT..?



RIGHT! LONG
STORY SHORT-
IT'S AN
FAULT THAT
THE DRAGON
IS HERE.



SO WHY NOT
JUST HUNT
IT WITH A
"KNIGHT" OR
SOMETHING



WOULD I
BE HERE IF
THAT WAS
AN OPTION?
I DON'T
WANT TO
SEE YOU
EITHER.



TAKEN AT
THE ROAD
JACKO



AM BEGGING
YOU SELF-
CRIMINAL HELP
AND SELF-HEEDS
NOT ENOUGH!



THIS DRAGON
IS CUNNING AND
CRUEL! NORMAL
DRAGONS ARE NO
MATCH FOR HIM, SO
I WAS GOING TO USE
THE BLUE DRAGON
AGAINST HIM

THAT'S WHY
THE ORDER OF
ROYAL KNIGHTS IS
FOLLOWING ME
HELP ME SELF-
CRIMINAL IF IT'S
MONEY YOU WANT
I WILL PAY YOU



REALLY,
GODDAMN
DRAGON



SHUT UP
YOUR
POWER

TAKE IT
OFF LINE
NOW!
SOFT
CARE



YOU'RE RYU!
H. ARTHUR-
LEADER OF THE
ORDER OF ROYAL
KNIGHTS FROM
THE WEST!



LIK-
NEAR...

YOUR COUNTRY
SENT A LETTER
ANNOUNCING YOUR
ARRIVAL, BUT YOU
DON'T HAVE TO
GIVE TWO FIVE
FOR A DOLLAR.



THIS ONE IS OF
PARTICULAR
CONCERN. HE HIRED
A DRAGON HUNTER
FROM ASIA TO KILL
IT, BUT HE FAILED
AND OUR DAUGHTERS
WERE GREAT

I HAD NOT
ONLY TO HUNT THE
DRAGON BUT TO
FIND THE HUNTER
THAT FAILED ME
SHAMED MY FAMILY



WE TOO HAVE OUR
WORK TO DO. WE'LL
DEFEND OUR COUNTRY
ABOUT THIS
WORTHLESS DRAGON.
SO WE'LL
KILL IT.

THANK
YOU



A-JOO-JOO-
NIMI!



WHY DID
YOU COME?
FATHER
WANTED.



I HAD NOT
EXPECTED THAT
A DRAGON HUNTER
WAS
CAPTURED. MANY
DOLLARS.

YES, IT
AND IT



THE DRAGON
THAT KILLED
THEIR WAS
RED WITH
WINGS

HE
COULD
IT BE...



SIEGFRIED'S
DRAGON?



IS IT
DIFFERENT
FROM OTHER
DRAGONS?



SIEGFRIED'S
DRAGON IS VERY
POWERFUL... IT CAN
BE COMPARED TO
THE ELDRONAI
DRAGONS OF THE
DRAGON GOD



I HEARD
THAT NAME
AWAY
TIMES IN
THE WEST

SIEGFRIED WAS
THE GREATEST
KNIGHT EVER
WHICH MEANS HE
WAS ALSO THE
BEST DRAGON
HUNTER!



SIEGFRIED
CALLED IT A
RED DRAGON
AND MADE
IT HIS PET!

RED DRAGONS
ARE VERY
STRONG AND
ELUSIVE.



SIEGFRIED,
THE BEST
DRAGON
HUNTER.



BUT HE'S NOT
IMPORTANT
HE LIVED
OVER A THOUSAND
YEARS AGO.



WHAT DOES
MATTER IS, WOULD
HE JUDGE US IF
WE CAN'T CONTROL
THE DRAGON THEN
ALL IS LOST!



ANY BODY ELSE
WILL BE THE
DEATH OF US! DON'T YOU
THINK WE SHOULD?

THAT'S
NOT THE
REASON!



OTHER PEOPLE?
DID YOU GO
TO MISTRESS
SO-CHUN, TOO?

SEE,
I TOLD YOU!
I DON'T WANT
TO COME
TO YOU!



I WANT TO SEE
MISTRESS SO-CHUN
SOON! COME HERE!
BUT SHE WON'T
THINK I'M WORTHY!
SHE WENT TO MEET A
DRAGON BY REQUEST
OF THE KING...

SHE
TRULY IS
AMAZING!



I'LL TAKE
CONTROL OF THE
DRAGON BEFORE
IT ACCIDES
TO HEAVEN!
FIRE THE
BOMBS THEM!



YES, AND
THAT'S!



ROWR



LOOK
IT'S
OUT!



IT'S
COMING!



HEATHER
ENCOUNTERED
A BEAST LIKE
THIS - IS THIS
A DRAGON?





NICE
SEEING
YOU, KORI-
JUNG

NOW
LEAVE.

WHY??

WHAT'S
WORTH
WASTING
YOUR TIME?

I KNOW WHY
YOU'RE HERE,
BUT YOU'RE
WASTING
YOUR TIME.

I'M FINISHED
WITH HUNTING
DRAGONS.

DON'T
BE
STUPID!

AM I?

DONDA-
BODA?

WHO SAID YOU
COULD SURVIVE?
BECAUSE OF YOU
AND YOUR SISTER
THAT YOUNG-CHANG
BETRAYED ME
AND I ALMOST
DIED!

YOU DARE USE
YOUR SISTER'S
DEATH AS A
CONVENIENT ESCAPE
CLUSE FROM
RESPONSIBILITY?

KILL ME...

WHAT?



NOW I'VE GOT
THIS I RAN WITH THE
SHAMANE COUNCIL, I
WAS... NEAR CHONG-RETHYU
HIM, THEN I BECAME
NEAR CHONG'S PARTNER,
AND I DID MY BEST TO
PROTECT ABANDON.

BUT
IT'S ALL FOR
NOTHING NOW
THAT SHE'S DEAD
I SHOULDN'T
BE ALIVE.



ENOUGH

CONVINCED IF
THAT'S REALLY
YOUR WISH,
I'LL HAPPILY
OBLIGE!

LIT SO
OF HIM HE
SHOULD DIE
BEFORE HE
CAUSES ANY
MORE GRIEF!

I SAID
THAT'S
ENOUGH

AHHH!



LET'S GO
BACK TO OUR
WORLD. LAY
MYLINS NO
JUST NEEDS
MORE TIME.



WHY?
SHE NEED
SOMEONE
TO HELP HER
RECOVER?

SELF-CHONG.
L

IT'S DRAV



NO NEED TO
EXPLAIN I
UNDERSTAND
WHAT YOU'RE
GOING THROUGH
AND I STILL
TRUST YOU.

I CAN
DO THIS
ALONE.

BUT IN CASE
YOU DO CHANGE
YOUR MIND,
I'LL BE WAITING
ANYWAY BECAUSE
I'M STRONGER
WITH YOU THAN
WITHOUT YOU.



EVEN THOUGH
IT'S HARD
FOR HER TO
CONTROL A
DRAGON,
MOMO-NEEN
PLANS TO
RETURN.



OH.

LET MOMO-NEEN
ORIGINALLY THERE
TO HELP YOU
NOT YOUR SISTER
SO IT WASN'T
POINTLESS.



ALL RIGHT,
GUYS-LET'S
GO!



SELF-CHONG...



WHY ARE
YOU ALWAYS
THERE FOR
MYUNG-HO?

WHAT'S
IN IT FOR
YOU?

WHY NOT
JUST
LEAVE
ALONE?



TELL ME,
DAMNITY!



BECAUSE
MYUNG-HO
CONSIDERS OTHER
PEOPLE FIRST—
UNLIKE YOU, THAT'S
THE REASON I
CHASE HIM
OVER YOU!

YOU KILLED OUR
MASTER FOR YOUR
OWN SECURITY—
AND THEN TRIED
TO KILL ME WHEN I
WANTED TO LEAVE
THE YONG-CHIL.

YOU'RE NOT
WORTHY TO LIVE,
MYUNG-HO'S DOGS!

YOU.
YOU.



BASTARD!
IF YOU
DON'T LIKE
HIM, THEN
WHY HELP?

QUEST!

I
NEVER
SAID I
WOULD
HELP
YOU!



IF ALL
KOREAN
DRAGONS
BECAME
EXTINCT, I
LOSE MY
LIVELIHOOD!

SO I'M
NOT HERE
FOR YOU!



HELL.



HEH?
THIS IS A
DRAGON'S...

IF THAT...



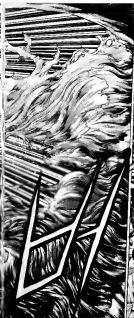
HOW
CAN HE
FLY SO
EASILY?

IS IT
A FIRE
DRAGON?



WHERE
IN TROUBLE?
MIDDLE LIVES-
FALL BACK?





CHAPTER 53
RIAH H. ARTHUR (PART II)









I'VE TRAVELED
THOUSANDS OF
MILES TO FIND YOU!
I'LL AVENGE
MY MASTER
AND FATHER!



KRAFT!!



DROP HERE!

W-
WHAT?!



DON'T
WORRY! I'VE
PREPARED!
I WON'T DIE
FROM THE
HEIGHT!

NOT
I'LL
DIE!!



PREPARE
TO DIE,
BEAST!

ROWR



NOOO!
YOU
BITCH!



HUH?
WHO
IS...?



RELAX!
YOU'RE
SAFE
NOW...



RELAX! RELAX!
THAT MEANS...



WHAT'S
GOING
ON
HERE?
TELL
ME!

DELY
AFTER
YOU
CALM DOWN



HE LOOKS
APPARENTLY
OK IT BECAUSE
HE CALLED
DELY FOR



BE-WARE IF
YOU'RE STILL
ALIVE THEN
SABERHANS
MUST BE
HERE



YOU HAVEN'T
CHANGED ANYTHING
SO FAR



SABERHANS!
YOU ARE
ALIVE!

HOT TO
MENTION
HIS NAME



I WILL SEVER
ITS HEAD WITH
THE SWORD MY
MASTER GAVE
ME—THE SWORD
OF SIGOROTH!

HERE
WE GO!

DID YOU
SEE THE
WEST?

A
WESTERNER
WITH A
WESTERN
DRAGON.

THE GIRL IS A
BRIGHT-KNIGHT
IS SAILING
TO A DRAGON
HUNTER.

THE DRAGON
SEEMS CALM,
BUT IT'S
UNDER HER
CONTROL.

IT'S CALM
TO MATCH
HER FROM
HOME.





BURGH YOURSELF,
SCALER BOY! NOW
THAT YOU'VE SEEN
THE THUNDER...



HERE
COMES THE
LIGHTNING!

MEET THE
INSTRUMENT
OF YOUR
EXCULSION-
EXCULSION!

CHAPTER 53
KIAH H. ARTHUR (PART 2)





EXCALIBUR
ENERGIZE!

POW



HE REALLY IS
HOLDING A
SPRINKLER
BEHIND HIS
BACK, ISN'T HE?



POW



THEY NEVER
RECALLED
THAT DEL IS
NO ORDINARY
PERSON



THAT
ENERGY
IS COMING
FROM
HERE!!

WHAT IS
THAT THE
CHILDREN
MOBILE UNIT?

WHAT? I
THOUGHT
YOU
DESTROYED
THE
CHILDREN
IN THESE
PARTS!

THE CHILD IS A
LARGE AND POWERFUL
BRANCH PLANT
CLAY DON'T THINK
THAT THEY'LL
JUST DISAPPEAR
BECAUSE THEY WERE
ONCE DEFEATED
BY MIA CHONG!

AND WITH
MIA CHONG
PROTECTED
BY THE BLUE
DRAGON, IT'S
NOT SURPRISING
THEY'VE
RE-ESTABLISHED
A BRANCH
HERE!

OH
REALLY, MISS
DETECTIVE?

DO
YOUR HORN
NEEDS?

WHAT DO YOU
KNOW ANYWAY
YOU'VE NEVER EVEN
BEEN TO THE NEST?

THAT'S
BECAUSE
I KNOW
YOU HAVE
THEIR...

DOO! I KNOW
ENOUGH
THAT
ARE LESS
DETECTIVE!

OH SURE
YOU DO!

AREN'T
THEY CLASH
BUT
THEY ACT
MORE LIKE
ENEMIES...

AS THE
CHILD IS
SOME
CLAY BUT WHO
IS POWERFUL
ENOUGH TO
TAKE OVER THE
BRANCH?!

HEY,
OF
THAT?!

ROWR

WHAT ARE
YOU DOING
CLAY CHONG?
WAKE UP!
TIME TO GO!

71



NO MATTER HOW
IF IT WAS THAT
BOAST ITS GOFFING
SEALED NOW!

HERE I COME!

WHAT'S
THAT SOUND?

NO WAY!
OF AM I A
REDWON
DRAGON !!

HE
ENERGY IS
SPECIALLY
STRONG!

THAT
FELL... FID
SHIT THE
BAGGY!!

THEY
CANNOT IF
THE STRONG
CAUGHT
BETTER
CLOSER!!

WHAT?!





HOLD-I
SLED
THROUGH HIS
SCYTHE LIKE
BUTTER!



DIE
WORM!!



WATCH
OUT!!





SEIR-
CHONG!



FINAL FORM OF
SEIR-CHONG IS THIS!

THE
POWER
OF
THE
SWORD
IS
GROWING



HEH? HER
SWORD'S
EMITTING
ENERGY!



WATCH
OUT! SEIR-
CHONG!



SHE
CRACKED
MY
SWORD!



OUTTA
MY WAY!













YOU KNOW
YOU'VE COME TO
BURN AND
THE FIGHTING
TO HAVE
YOUR ASS?

JUST WHAT
DO YOU
DO TO MISS
AND OFF
ANYWAY?



YOU KNOW
ABOUT
THAT ED-
SOMETHING
SWORD...?



TAE-
DUNG...



THE ORIGINAL
EXCALIBUR WAS
THE POWERFUL
SWORD OF A
GREAT KING

BUT HERE
IS A SPOOF
SWORD-ONE
WHICH DOESN'T
EXIST IN THIS
REALITY.



SO THAT'S WHY
SHE WAS ABLE
TO MATERIALIZE
IT...



EXCALIBUR...
BUT WHY DOES
SHE POSSESS
IT AND ADDRESS
THE ORIGINAL?

WHO IS
SHE?



YOU
PROBABLY DON'T
KNOW THIS, BUT
ONE ARTHER
IS THE MAN IN
THE VEST



THEY SAID
YOU'LL
TELL
EVERYONE
WHAT
HAPPENED



ALRIGHT,
ALRIGHT!

I'LL TALK
HER FULL
NAME IS
RIAN HANS
ARTHER

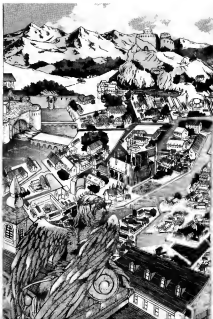
WE IS THE
LEGITIMATE
DAUGHTER
OF KING
ARTHER!

POSSIBLY
FROM A MISTRESS



LIFE HERE,
PRINCESSES ARE
ONLY USED IN
POLITICAL MARRIAGES
LEGITIMATE
PRINCESSES ARE
LOOKED DOWN
UPON

RIAN HAD
JUST ENTERED
THE ORDER OF
KNIGHTS WHEN
BELL-HEE AND
I SHOWED UP



CHAPTER 55
THE WEST (PART II)



MY WILDEST
DREAMS DON'T DO
THAT LAND JUSTICE.
THE COUNTRY IS MUCH
MORE DEVELOPED, AND
THE PEOPLE WERE
DIFFERENT, TOO.

IT WAS A
WHOLE NEW
WORLD!





THAT'S THE
BIGGEST BUILDING
HERE, SO IT MUST
BE A PALACE...

ANYWAY,
HOW ARE
YOU GOING TO
FIND THAT?

STAYING
WITH ME FOR
NOW.

WE CAN PROBABLY
FIND SOLDIERS THERE,
TOO. THEY'LL HAVE
ANSWERS FOR US...



HOW? YOU
ACTUALLY
USED YOUR
HEART IN
IMAGINING?

AND I
THINKED YOUR
HEART MUST
GUESS?

YOU
WANT
SOME
FOOD?

THAT'S
SADDER I'M
IMAGINING!

MOVIE!!



LOOK
OUT!!

W-WHAT
THE HELL...



WAT?

?

IT WAS
FLYING TOWARDS
YOU! WAS IT A
MOBILE UNIT?



I TOLD YOU THAT THEY
HAVE MORE ADVANCED
TECHNOLOGY THAN US.
THEY HAVE THINGS SIMILAR
TO MOBILE UNITS.

AS WELL AS
MOBILE UNITS
CALLED SKY-SHIPS OF
COURSE. ONLY WORLDS
OF RICH PEOPLE
OWN THEM.



YES IT SEEMS
COINCIDENTAL AT
THE TIME, BUT
NOW IT LOOKS LIKE
IT WAS PLANNED
BY SOMEONE...

I DON'T
KNOW FOR
SURE, BUT...
ANYWAY I
MET KAHN

I ALSO
MET A
SOMEONE
NAMED
REILA

WATSH...



DO THEY USE
THEM TO HUNT
DRAGONS? DO
THEY HAVE
RESPONSE?

OR MAYBE
A TIME



YES, THEY'RE
USED FOR
HUNTING
FLYING
DRAGONS

THAT'S
WHY THEY
WANT TO
HUNT THEM
BECAUSE
THEY ARE
VERY RARE
AT THEM



ON THE
OTHER
HAND, ON THE
OTHER HAND
THEY ARE
VERY RARE



WATSH
WATSH



WATSH
WATSH



THE PRINCE
THE VESST PART 20
THE PRINCE







THE SOUND OF
DRAGON BREATH



YOU
LET HIM
ENTER
HERE?



I DON'T
THINK THAT
IS
BLOOD, BUT
HE COULD BE
A VALUABLE
HINT.

HE HAS
A LOT OF
RESEMBLANCE
TO THE
DRAGON
IN HIS
HAIR.



BUT THE
EVIDENCE
WAS NOT
ENOUGH
TO
PROVE
HIS
IDENTITY.

WE NEED
MORE
PEOPLE
WHO CAN
PROTECT
YOU.



HE'S
SOUNDING
SOMEONE
OUT. I
WANT
THE
DRAGON
DOCTOR.

WHAT
WANT
IS
EVERYONE
WEARING
ON
THEIR
HEADS?



WARRIOR
GET IT
OFF! GET
IT OFF!



HEY, HEH!
I GUESS
HE HASN'T
SEEN THAT
BEFORE.



AND THE MORE
PEOPLE THE BETTER
ON A DRAGON HUNT.
PLUS, I'VE
ALREADY HUNTED.



EVEN SO, WE
NEED TO TEST
HIS SKILLS. IF
HE BEATS OUR
BEST GUY, I'LL
CONSIDER YOUR
SUGGESTION.



PRINCESS,
EVEN THAT
IS.

...TOO MUCH
TO EXPECT
OF HIM.



I
WONDER HOW
WELL HE IS
DOING.?

HEY,
WARRIOR!
WE
ARE
GOING
DOWN
NOW!



BLAH
BLAH
BLAH!

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우~





YOU NEED MORE
THAN SOLITE
STRENGTH TO KILL
A DRAGON! YOU
HAVE TO KNOW
HOW TO CUT IT!



ARE YOU
CHALLENGING
ME, CHATTERING
ONE?

IT'S TOO
EARLY FOR
THAT!

THEY
WANT
RECORDED!



WELL, I GUESS
THEY'RE GOING
TO DUEL
AFTER ALL!

DOES SOMEONE
SOMEONE...
BUT HART CAN
JUST AS EASILY
BEHOLD A DRAGON!



PLUS,
HE'S MUCH
SMALLER
THAN HART!



THE MAN HE
ASKED FOR A DUEL
WITH SPREADS
THE ONE THAT
MAKES THE OTHER
FALL FROM
THEIR HORSE...

...WAS THE
DUEL...



YOU
CAN RIDE
A HORSE,
RIGHT?



NAH



BUT HOW
CAN YOU
KNOW YOU
CAN'T?

NO DREAM



DON'T
NEED
ONE!

AND THE
DUEL WILL BE
IN 10 DAYS
IF I REMEMBER!





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A HOTHEADED DRAGON PROMISES TO
INFLECT REVENGE ON TAE-RANG.

...

SEUR-CHONG DOESN'T UNDERSTAND
WHAT'S GOING ON, BUT ONE THING'S
FOR SURE—HE IS CAUGHT IN THE MIDDLE
OF YET ANOTHER DRAGON-RELATED
DRAMA...AND THERE'S GOING TO
BE HELL TO PAY!



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